

HOUSE BILL No. 1385

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 9-18-2-36.

Synopsis: Passenger vehicle license plates. Provides that if an individual who owns or leases a passenger motor vehicle registers the vehicle in a county other than the county in which the individual resides, the bureau is required to issue a license plate that does not display a numeral indicating the county in which the vehicle is registered.

Effective: July 1, 2002.

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January 15, 2002, read first time and referred to Committee on Roads and Transportation.

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Introduced

Second Regular Session 112th General Assembly (2002)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning motor vehicles.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 9-18-2-36 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
2 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2002]: Sec. 36. **(a) Except as**
3 **provided in subsection (b)**, a license plate issued for a passenger ~~car~~
4 **motor vehicle** must display a numeral that indicates the county in
5 which the passenger car was registered.

6 **(b) If an individual who owns or leases a passenger motor**
7 **vehicle registers the vehicle in a county other than the county in**
8 **which the individual resides, the bureau shall issue a license plate**
9 **that does not display a numeral indicating the county in which the**
10 **vehicle is registered. This subsection does not apply to personalized**
11 **license plates.**

12 **(c) The bureau shall design and issue a license plate that may be**
13 **used in the manner provided in subsection (b).**

14 SECTION 2. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2002] **(a) Notwithstanding**
15 **IC 9-18-2-36, as amended by this act, the bureau shall not issue**
16 **license plates without numerals under IC 9-18-2-36(b), as amended**
17 **by this act, before January 1, 2003.**

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- 1 (b) IC 9-18-2-36, as amended by this act, does not apply to
2 reregistrations before January 1, 2003.
3 (c) This SECTION expires December 31, 2003.

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